

## 2026 Women of Distinction Award Nomination Questions PDF

Thank you for taking the time to nominate a Women of Distinction! Please use this PDF Document to draft your responses before you submit your nomination via the Microsoft Form.

Below are some tips to assist you as you begin writing your nomination:

- **Assume that the submitted nomination is the only information used to decide the honorees.** Decisions are based on the written information provided, reviewed by our selection committee anonymously, with the name of the nominee removed. A detailed response will be able to provide our selection committee with a clear picture as to why your nominee should be selected.
- **Consider whether you want to share the nomination with the nominee at any point.** Some individuals who nominate may choose to involve the nominee in the writing process, while others keep it a secret. Both methods of nominations are acceptable.
- **Sharing Media:** If you choose to share articles, videos, websites, etc. illustrating the nominee's accomplishments, please know we will be removing names from the pieces, as well as summarizing the information to maintain anonymity.

### Nomination Questions

**Describe the nominee's achievements in civic, professional, or academic roles, and their broader impact across various aspects of life. Feel free to provide a detailed account, including achievements early in life and challenges overcome.**

**Describe the nominee's engagement in mentoring and empowering other girls and women. How has she shared her expertise and resources to support others in achieving their goals?**

**Describe the nominee's strength as a role model. How has she demonstrated leadership qualities that inspire others, especially women and girls, to see her as a role model?**

**Share examples of the nominee's leadership strengths. In what specific ways has she demonstrated qualities that benefit her colleagues, organization, or community?**

**Please use this final space in the application to share any additional information you feel we should know about this nominee in which we didn't ask for in the previous questions.**